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In re: John Colyer Serial No.: 10/597,015 Confirmation No.: 4772 Group Art Unit: 1641

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

## Sir/Madam:

Applicant is in receipt of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated February 18, 2011 (hereinafter, "the Notice"). The Notice alleges that the oath or declaration is defective. Applicant's representative, Shawna Cannon Lemon, Ph.D., contacted the Publication Branch on February 26, 2011 to seek clarification in view of the declaration submitted previously; however, no response has been received to Applicant's telephone inquiry. Accordingly, Applicant submits the following response.

More specifically, the Notice states that the oath or declaration is defective because "[i]t does not identify the city and either the state or foreign country of residence of each inventor." A copy of the declaration as submitted is attached. Applicant notes that John Colyer's, i.e., the inventor, residence in the United Kingdom as well as his British citizenship are both noted on the declaration.

At least based upon the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the declaration is not defective, and Applicant respectfully requests that this application be allowed to proceed to issuance.

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No fee is believed due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0220.

Respectfully submitted,

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